

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Confirmation No.: 7383

Kenji DOSAKA et al.

Art Unit: 1795

Application No.: 10/717,898

Examiner: Kishor MAYEKAR

Filed: November 21, 2008

Attorney Docket No.: 107348-00389

For: PROCESS FOR DECREASING CONTENT OF PARTICULATE MATERIAL
CONTAINED IN EXHAUST GAS FROM LEAN BURN ENGINE OR THE LIKE

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.121

MAIL STOP Amendment

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

January 21, 2009

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated October 20, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the claims, as reflected in the listing of claims, begin on page 2; and

Remarks begin on page 3.